

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	CRIMINAL NO. _____
v.	:	DATE FILED: _____
JEFFREY M. HOPPOCK	:	VIOLATION: 18 U.S.C. § 13(a)(making terroristic threats while on federal property - 1 count)

INDICTMENT

COUNT ONE

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

At all times relevant to this indictment:

1. The United States Social Security Administration was a federal agency.
2. The United States Social Security Administration had a District Office located at 134 South 4th Street in Easton, Pennsylvania (hereafter referred to as “the Easton District Office”).
3. The Easton District Office is located in a building which was leased by the General Services Administration (GSA), a federal agency, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 7(3), for the use of the United States, and under the exclusive or concurrent jurisdiction of the United States, that is, for the use of the United States Social Security Administration to serve members of the public relating to Social Security issues, including but not limited to, the issuing of Social Security checks.

4. On or about January 5, 2010, in Easton, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

JEFFREY M. HOPPOCK,

within and upon a place acquired for federal use and possession, and under the exclusive and concurrent jurisdiction of the United States, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 7(3), that is, while inside the United States Social Security Administration, Easton District Office, located at 134 South 4th Street in Easton, Pennsylvania, knowingly committed the crime of Terroristic Threats, in violation of Pa.C.S.A. § 2706, in that defendant HOPPOCK verbally communicated and threatened:

- (a) to commit a crime of violence with intent to terrorize another;
- (b) to otherwise cause serious public inconvenience; and
- (c) to cause terror and serious public inconvenience with reckless disregard of the risk of causing such terror and inconvenience,

all by shouting the words “If I don’t get my check, I am going to blow this building sky high,” or words to that effect.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 13(a).

A TRUE BILL:

GRAND JURY FOREPERSON

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